

Howdy Partner... Welcome To The

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Did You Know... The first transcontinental telegraph line was completed October 24, 1861. This is an electrical system for sending messages by a code over wires.

The famous Indian
Chief, Crazy Horse, was
so determined to preserve his
people's traditional way of living
that he refused to allow anyone to photograph him.

The West's favorite
author, Mark Twain, who wrote
Tom Sawyer and The Adventures of
Huckleberry Finn, was born with the
name Samuel Clemens. It wasn't until
he moved to the West in 1861 at
age 26 that he became known
as Mark Twain.

Morse invented the telegraph in 1836. It was put into use in the East in 1844 from Baltimore to Washington D.C.. Since telegraphic messages travel over wires, it wasn't until 1861, when the transcontinental telegraph line was put into place from coast to coast, that the Pony Express was brought to an end.

In July of 1803,

America purchased one million square miles from Napoleon of France for \$15,000,000, or \$15 per square mile! That is less than basketball's Michael Jordan makes in one year. The land bought went from the Mississippi River to the Rockies and the Gulf of Mexico north to Canada. This buy is known as the Louisiana Purchase.

Before the Pony Express
started in 1860, mail was carried across the country by passengercarrying stage coaches. To speed things
up, riders raced across the land,
switching horses along the way,
to reduce delivery time by
two weeks.

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that the intercontinental railroad was established. Tracks slowly

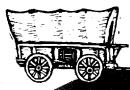
made their way toward each other

from each coast. A special gold

spike was used to connect them

when the tracks came

together in Ulois



In the early days of our nation, the only way to get to a distant place was to ride on a horse or in a wagon pulled by a horse, mule, or ox. The Western Expansion was accomplished using covered wagons, sometimes referred to as "prairie schooners." Families lived for months in covered wagons as they made the long and difficult trip to

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## CHOW TIME

## FRUIT LEATHERS

### INGREDIENTS:

 one banana, one cup strawberries, one tablespoon sugar or honey, water

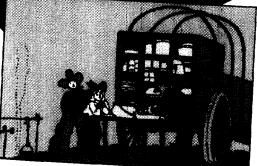
### EQUIPMENT:

 saucepan, cookie sheet, plastic wrap, cheesecloth, fork, wooden spoon

### DIRECTIONS:

- With a fork, mash the banana and strawberries together in the saucepan. Add the sugar.
- Cook over low heat and stir constantly with the wooden spoon.
- To prevent sticking, add water as needed.
- Mixture is done when it reaches the consistency of apple butter.
- Cool the pulp. Spread it in 1/4" thick strips over the plastic-lined cookie sheet.
- Cover with cheesecloth and air dry for one to two weeks.
- Carefully pull the fruit away from plastic wrap.
- Place on a wire rack or oven rack to allow other side to dry.
- Experiment with other fruit combinations—pear and nectarine or apple and raspberry, for example.





I hope you're he for some might

Remember...ALWAYS

TAKE THESE GREATED SNACKS WITH YOU ANYWHERE. THEY'LL YOU HEALTHY, COWE



### INGREDIENTS:

any fruit (berries and plums may be left whole)

### EQUIPMENT:

oven, wire mesh or screen, paring kni

### DIRECTIONS:

- Place wire mesh on top of the oven rack.
- Cut, core and peel the fruit. Arrange slices on the mesh.
- Heat the oven on low. Leave the door ajar.
- Fruit is done when it feels leathery as dry but still moist inside.
- To dry fruit outdoors, suspend the me between bricks to allow air to circulat Cover the fruit with cheesecloth to ke out insects.

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## NTH FRONTIER FOOD

ry, cowboy, 'cause we got fixin's here yne vittles.

haadult supervision while cooking.

REMIND ME GRANDMOTHER

- one quart of milk, juice of one lemon
- saucepan, strainer, cheesecloth

- to boil.

  Remove from heat and add Jemon
  juice Observe the milk as it segmes to
  separate into sunds and whey.

  Pour the missing into a streamer of
  catch all the cause.

  Empty the strategy onto a checasoloth,
  form a ball saw twist to squeeze out
  all moisture

- Chill. Add some salt if it's too bload. Spread the dagge on crackers.

## HOMEMADE BUTTER

### INGREDIENTS:

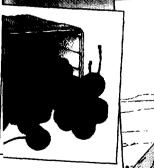
heavy whipping cream

### EQUIPMENT:

• tablespoon, empty and clean margarine tub or baby food jar

### DIRECTIONS:

- Pour two tablespoons of heavy whipping cream into container.
- Attach the lid and shake vigorously (use both hands if using a margarine tub for the container).
- After a few minutes, a solid lump of butter will be formed. Mix the butter with a little bit of honey, if desired.





Note: More frontier recipes can be found in The Little House Cookbook by Barbara Walker (Harper and Row, 1979).

That's good grub!!!







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# LOOKING FOR AN ADVENTURE

OPEN A BOOK ...

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**Come** explore the cowboy life of nature and wide open land for yourself. Go back in time where adventure was at its peak. The West awaits you... and it all happens at your local library. Open a book and open your

mind to the

**Wild West!** 

**Special thanks** to the Public Library

of Charlotte and

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## KINDERGARTEN THROUGH THIRD &



Cowboy Charlie, Jeanette Winter



<u>Wagon Wheels,</u> Barbara Brenner



<u>West by Covered Y</u> Dorothy Hinshaw F

## FOURTH THROUGH FIFTH GRADES



<u>Save Queen of Sheba,</u> Louise Moeri



**Wagons West,** Roy Gerrard



<u>Jim Ugly,</u> Sid Fleisch

## STATH THROUGH





The Della

Now hold on there...Buckaroo... There are many words to find in this here puzzle, but I reckon' you can find them all. Take your time and enjoy the ride.

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- 1. Rattlesnake
- 2. Cowbov
- 3. Gold
- 4. Telegraph
- 5. Stagecoach
- 6. Railroad
- 7. Horse

- 11. Lasso 12. Pony Express

13. Boots

14. Chaps

- 8. Cactus
- 9. Ranch
- 10. Coyote

ments are **ede**d to have a fire?



se is the bea **place** to put a noke detector?

> you do if a pan on the stove caudit fire?

## 1997 4-H Fire Safety Bowl May 9, 1997

Who:

4th & 5th Grade Students

1 Team per school consisting of

4 members, 1 alternate and 1 coach

Where:

**Oasis Shrine Temple 604 Daniel Burnham Way** Charlotte, NC 28262

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Step into a tornado and feel **the sensation of 100 m.p.h. cyclonic** winds whirling around you!

Make your own rainbow in a simulated rainshower.

Gaze into the witch's crystal ball and see the secrets of Oz revealed.



Follow the yellow brick road and see where it leads you.

Race the Tin Man's heart! Use a hand pump to imitate the human heart pumping blood through the human body.

## COMING...

See if you can pick out the correct word that fits in the blank on each of these Summer Safety Tips!

Summertime's
 perfect for long bike
 rides. Remember,
 always wear a

(Turtle, Peanut Butter, Bike Helmet)

2) Always check the playground equipment before playing with it so you do not get

> (Burned, Tickled, Scared) When it's sunny, the equipment can get dangerously hot!



3) Drink lots of

(Coffee, Water,
Cough Medicine)
When it's hot, your
body can get dehydrated
very quickly, so carry
a water bottle if you
will be away from
a faucet.



4) Never

(Read, Hike, Eat)
Grab a friend and
always tell an
adult your
hiking route.

1. Bike Helmet 2. Burned 3. Water 4. Hike

## THEM COWBOYS Talk Mighty Funny!!

UNSCRAMBLE THE LETTERS BELOW AND YOU'LL FIND SOME VERY IMPORTANT WORDS OF THE WEST.

1) WHAT COWBOYS WEAR ON THEIR FEET: **OTOBS** 

2) A SMALL HORSE: YPON

3) A COWBOY'S ROPE: ALSOS

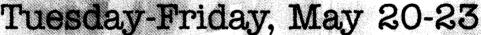
4) A COWBOY PUTS THESE ON HIS BOOTS: **RPSUS** 

5) A PRICKLY PLANT: ATCUCS

6) LEATHER-COVERED SEAT TO RIDE A HORSE: **DASLDE** 

A. SPURS 5. CACTUS 6. SADDLE 4. SPURS 5. CACTUS 6. SADDLE

## Education Week 1997 at Paramount's Carowinds







Tuesday, May 80: Performing Arts Day

Go behind the scenes and uncover the magic of the theater through a series of workshops on lighting, sound, improvisation, make-up and movement. Plus, park performers and special guests will be available to answer a variety of questions on performing.

Watch For

Wednesday and Thursday, May 21 and 22: Math, Science and Physics Days

Students will be intrigued, challenged, and delighted by the variety of ways these complex subjects can be demonstrated. The two days are packed with highly interactive events, like the exciting new Quiz Bowl and the waterslide building contest.



CAROWINDS





Friday, May 25: Fitness Day

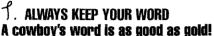
Look at how all aspects of fitness like cardiovascular endurance, nutrition and muscular strength are demonstrated with fun, non-competitive activities for all ages. Also, get inspired by physically-challenged athletes and learn about their mental and physical preparation.

Learning has neve been this fun!!!





# he Cowbou Code of Conduct



- $\mathfrak{D}$ . Be kind and respectful to others. Be understanding to those who are different. Never take anything without asking. Remember, you need to be a friend to have a friend.
- 3. LISTEN TO YOUR PARENTS AND TEACHERS. They are older and wiser and have very important things to say. And remember, always use "Please" and "Thank you".



4. MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Look around you...think about ways that you could help make your community a better place. For example, help your parents around the house, help a friend in need, or volunteer with an organization that's helping to feed the hungry.

 ${\mathcal S}$ . Take care of mother earth.

We only have one earth, so we need to take precious care of it. For example:

- · Pick up trash.
- Conserve. Never use more water than you need. Always turn off the faucet while brushing your teeth and washing your hair.
- Recycle and re-use. For example, recycle glass, plastic and aluminum. Re-use shopping and lunch bags.
- Hug a tree!



## What To Watch WILD WEEKDAYS

3:00 p.m.

3:30 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

4:30 p.m.



## **WJZY TV-46**

6:00 a.m. Dennis the Menace Woody Woodpecker 6:30 a.m. 7:00 a.m. Samurai Pizza Cats 7:30 a.m. Powerblock 8:00 a.m. Pink Panther

## WB55

6:00 a.m. **Brady Bunch** Bruno the Kid 6:30 a.m. 7:00 a.m. **Masked Rider** 7:30 a.m. Mega Man 8:00 a.m. **Amazing Adventures** 8:30 a.m. Bananas in Pajamas

**Animaniacs** 

Bruno the Kid

The Mask

That's Warner Brothers





2:30 p.m. Dinosaurs

3:00 p.m. Darkwing Duck

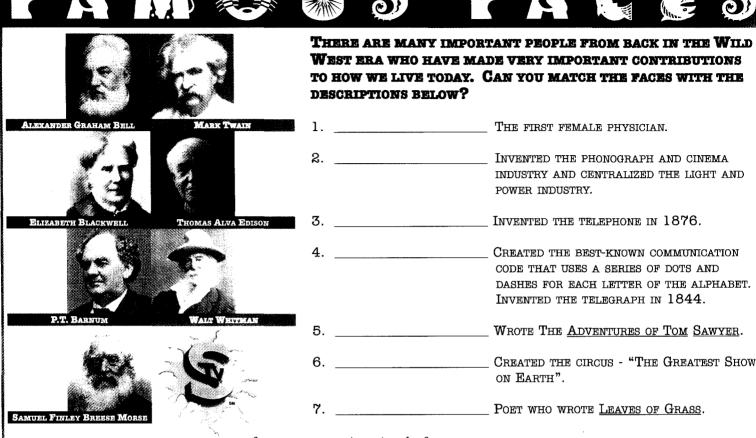
3:30 p.m. Aladdin

4:00 p.m. Gargoyles 4:30 p.m. Timon (Mon)

Quack Pack (Tues-Thurs) Sel eleten Deceler (Selet)



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Answers: 1. Elizabeth Blackwell S. Thomas Edison S. Alexander Graham Bell 4. Samuel Morse 5. Mark Twain 6. P.T. Barnum 7. Walt Whitman The Concise Columbia Encyclopedia, 1995, Columbia University Press



THE STUDENT STARS 4TH QUARTER IS UNDERWAY. Your good grades can help you win during this 4th quarter. Mail or bring entry form to the Information Desk at Carolina Place Mall. The contest applies to the grades earned from April 7 — June 6, 1997. Entries will not be accepted until June 7.

## DON'T MISS OUT ON OUR QUARTERLY CONTESTS! 1st Quarter '97-'98, School Bucks, 2nd Quarter '97-'98, Readling, 3rd Quarter '97-'98, Attendance

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PARENT'S PHONE NO	).					

Jeff Johnson will be at Carolina Place Mall on Wednesday, June 18, 1997, from 6-7 p.m. to hand out prizes to the entrants. Every student who enters gets a prize.\* Students with straight "A's" are entered in a drawing to win a \$75 gift certificate from Carolina Place Mall! Students with a "B" average OR an improved G.P.A. from 3rd quarter enter a drawing to win a prize worth \$75 from Carolina Place Mall.

STUDY HARD AND IT SURE PAYS OFF!!!



## SUMMISS WITTE

In Your Stuff, from our last issue of STV Magazine, we asked our members to tell us what their favorite summer vacation would be. We received some great ideas...

"My favorite summer vacation is the beach because I love to swim in the water. I love swimming because it's warm. We're going to the beach in the summer and then my whole family can swim."

Jackie Sitathammavang, Belmont

"I would like to go to Fighter Town, USA. I would like to get on an aircraft carrier. I would meet some of the pilots that fly the F-14 Tomcat. They could tell me about the F-14 Tomcat, and the F/A-18 Hornet, too.

Josh Nunn, China Grove

"My favorite vacation would be to go to Australia. I have never been anywhere exotic or far away in my life. In geography class, we study about different places in the world. Australia seems to be the neatest."

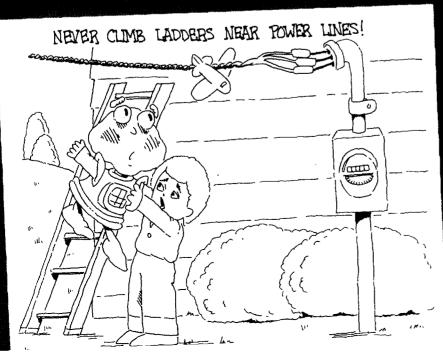
Katherine Davis, Kershaw, SC

"Well, my favorite
summer vacation is a hot
day that I can walk
barefooted and I want it to
be so warm that I can
go swimming"
Latoya Shippy, Gaffney

"My favorite summer vacation
would be riding my bike sometime and
going to play with Mickey Mouse, Daffy
Duck and all the rest of the cartoon
people. And after that, I would like to
have lots of tokens for Chuck E. Cheese
so I could win a lot of toys, and then I
would like a Nintendo game on my TV."
Travis Smith, Charlotte



# AROUND OVERHEAD LINES!"



Electricity is very useful to us—it makes our lives more comfortable and enjoyable in lots of ways. It lights and cools our homes, helps cook our meals, and cleans our clothes. It runs appliances that help us do our work more quickly and easily—so we can enjoy our TVs, VCRs, video games, and computers.

But electricity can be dangerous if it is not used properly. Always stay away from overhead power lines!

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1997-98 SEASON

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The Wild, Wild West

January 17

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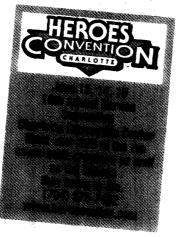
May 9 4-H Fire Safety Bowl for 4th and 5th grade students. For more information, call Walker Reid at (704) 336-4374





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## What do you want to be when you grow up and why?

Mail your answers to: Club STV™, YOUR STUFF, P.O. Box 668400 Charlotte, NC 28266

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